

## DEFENDS RAILWAYS IN "THE HOUSE"

### MR. POWERS PLEADS FOR PACIFIC LINES.

**Claims Western States and Towns Were Built Up by the Projectors of the Roads—Work in the Senate—The Tariff on Wool—Capital City News.**

Washington, Jan. 8.—The Pacific railroad funding bill, which is considered the most important piece of legislation which will come before congress at this session, came up Thursday in the house under a special order, which allows two days for general debate and one day for amendments and debate under the five-minute rule, with provision for a final vote on Monday next. There were only four speakers, Mr. Powers (rep., Vt.) the chairman of the Pacific railroad committee, who opened with an exhaustive argument in support of the bill, Mr. Hubbard (rep., Mo.), the minority member of the committee who has charge of the opposition, and Messrs. Grow (rep., Pa.) and Bell (dem., Tex.), who spoke respectively for and against the measure.

Mr. Powers gave a history of the Pacific roads. He described the necessity which existed in the early '60s for a transcontinental railroad; the difficulties which beset the undertaking at a time when the south was ablaze with red war, the hopelessness of private capital being able to accomplish anything without government aid, and the determination of the government to back the hazardous enterprise by large grants of land and by guaranteeing the bonds of the road up to \$16,000 per mile as far as the Sierras, and \$32,000 for the distance across the mountains. The government was to take a first mortgage to insure the repayment of the bonds granted. But even with this aid granted by the act of 1862 the projectors were unable to go ahead, and to permit them to raise money, congress, at their solicitation, in 1864, allowed them to place a first mortgage under the government's lien, and of an equal amount. He reviewed the difficulties which beset the projectors and the bountiful fruits which flowed to the American people from opening the continent to civilization. It strung towns along its line like beads; it made the states of the west. If the government should lose every dollar of the debts of these roads, it could credit itself and the American people with ten times as much in dollars and cents as they aggregated.

He then gave a computation of the indebtedness of the road Jan. 1, 1897, at \$53,715,408 on the Union Pacific and Kansas Pacific, and \$57,681,514 on the Central Pacific and Western Pacific.

The time had now come, he said, when the government must act. The courses were pursued the government could foreclose or it could seize the road under the law. If either of these courses was pursued the government would be obliged to immediately pay the outstanding first mortgage bonds, amounting in the aggregate to \$61,385,000. Was this advisable with the present condition of the treasury? But this was not all, he said. If the government took the roads it was an "inside road," without terminals. Not a train could be run into Omaha. The government could not operate it without terminals, it could not sell it without terminals to advantage. In case of the attempt to sell, the property would be at the mercy of the owners of the terminals.

Mr. Bell (dem., Tex.) said the pending bill proceeded on the wrong theory. He said the guaranty in the bill of the Southern Pacific for \$21,000,000 was made much of. But the Southern Pacific of Kentucky was one thing and the Southern Pacific of California another. The former made the guaranty in the bill; the latter was the railroad. The Southern of Kentucky was a mere corporation to operate railroads, not to own them. It leased the Southern and other roads. Did any one believe, he asked, that that corporation would not wind up its business rather than pay \$21,000,000? He described the alleged manner in which Mr. Huntington had manipulated the roads in his interest, saying at the same time that he had no desire to denounce capital.

Mr. Bell then explained the substitute he had proposed, which provided that if the roads would make the United States secure by paying off the first mortgage bonds, the government would extend the debt any reasonable period at 3 per cent.

Mr. Grow (rep., Pa.) occupied the remainder of the day to the hour of adjournment in favor of the bill.

The Republican and Democratic steering committees decided to make the Pacific Railroad refunding bill the order of business in the Senate after the free homestead bill. The agreement was made conditional only upon the passage of the bill through the House. If it fails there it will not be considered in the Senate.

## FOR MODERATE DUTY.

### Woolen Manufacturers Present Their Ideas of a Tariff.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The first speaker upon the schedule of woolen manufacturers Thursday was S. N. D. North of Boston, secretary of the National Wool Manufacturers' Association. The association counseled moderate

action in fixing rates, requesting moderate protection, which would enable them to reopen their mills, but not excessive duties, and a promise of permanence. The months preceding the tariff revision of 1894 and the two years subsequent included the most disastrous period to American woolen manufacturers. The bulk of the woolen and worsted machinery had been wholly or partially idle. At present there was more machinery in operation than during the summer, but the general condition of the manufacturer was bad. Other causes besides the tariff contributed to business paralysis, but the prospect of a business revival brought no promise of improvement to this industry.

## IN THE SENATE.

### Action on Several Bills and Adjournment Taken to Monday.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The senate had a long and busy session Thursday, passing a number of bills on the calendar, including several amendments to the law of navigation. Progress was made on the bill for free homesteads on Indian lands, but a final vote was not reached. Mr. Platt opposed the bill in a lengthy speech, pointing out that it would cost the government a loss of many millions.

The Cuban development of the day was a joint resolution offered by Mr. Mills (dem., Tex.) declaring that the power of recognizing a new republic resides in congress, recognizing the independence of Cuba and appropriating \$10,000 for a United States minister to the republic of Cuba. Mr. Mills will speak on the resolution next Monday. The senate adjourned over until Monday.

### New Pacific Railroad Funding Bill.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Senator Morgan introduced in the senate Thursday a substitute Pacific railroad funding bill. The bill is to create a board of trustees of the Central and Union Pacific roads, and provides for funding the bonded debts thereof by the issue of thirty-year 3 per cent bonds by the government, to be exchanged for the first mortgage bonds of the roads and the government bonds issued to aid in the roads' construction. The bill was referred to the Pacific roads committee.

### Carlyle Case Is Appealed.

Carlyle, Ill., Jan. 8.—The suit of W. H. H. Nichols and daughter Louella Irwin against the widow and heirs of the late State Treasurer Ramsay has been appealed by the defendants. The plaintiffs allege that Ramsay's bank was insolvent, therefore the money paid out by him as premiums on his life insurance should revert to his creditors. Judge Wilderman, in a recent decision, gave judgment against the defendants for \$3,000. The case will go to the Appellate Court at Mount Vernon.

### Cubans Attack the Trocha.

Tampa, Fla., Jan. 8.—Reports from Pinar del Rio are that Weyler's withdrawal has encouraged the insurgents greatly. An attack was made on the trocha Monday, near the southern end, and four of the forts destroyed, the garrisons deserting upon the appearance of the insurgents in force. At one attack the big dynamite gun was used and its first shot threw the garrison into such terror that they fled incontinently, leaving many of their guns and a large supply of ammunition for the Cubans.

### Assaulted Two Women.

Guthrie, O. T., Jan. 8.—Felix Ott, who claims to have been fleeced out of \$20 by Jennie Anderson and her mother, assaulted the two women. The elder woman had three ribs broken and skull crushed. Her daughter was seriously hurt, but will recover. Ott is in jail.

### Want \$10,000,000 for the Raid.

Cape Town, Jan. 9.—The Digger News learns that the indemnity bill to be presented by the Transvaal government for the Jameson raid has been nearly completed, and that it will be under £2,000,000. The exact figure, however, is not known.

### Trusts Succumb in Georgia.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 8.—The Journal makes the announcement that every trust operating in the state of Georgia has succumbed to the Calvin anti-trust law enacted by the recent general assembly.

### Colored Man's High Honor.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 8.—Governor's Councilor Allen, the colored citizen who was elected by chance to a position only one remove from the highest in the state, was sworn in Thursday.

### Lynched After Confession.

Unadilla, Ga., Jan. 8.—Anthony Henderson was lynched for the assassination of George Sumner. At the preliminary hearing he made a full confession of the crime.

### Murderer Sentenced to Death.

South Bend, Ind., Jan. 8.—Henry Jones of Indianapolis has been sentenced to be hanged for the murder of Horace Thompson, a fellow-convict, at Michigan City.

### Watch Factory Reduces Time.

Elgin, Ill., Jan. 8.—The watch factory has reduced its time to five days in each week. It has also laid off many employees.

### Minneapolis Bank Reopens.

Minneapolis, Jan. 8.—As expected at the time it closed, the Bankers' Exchange bank has opened again for business.

## ARE NOT SATISFIED WITH THE SCHEME

### BRITISH SETTLERS IN VENEZUELA ANGRY.

**General Feeling Prevailent That Secretary Olney Has Scored a Diplomatic Victory Over Lord Salisbury—Think Their Claims Will Be Proved—Census Figures Found.**

Georgetown, British Guiana, Jan. 8.—The announcement that Lord Salisbury has agreed to submit the question of boundaries between British Guiana and Venezuela to arbitration has not been accepted by the British colonists with satisfaction, for the further prolongation of negotiations is seriously restricting the investment of foreign capital in the development of the colonies' auriferous wealth.

That Secretary Olney has scored as a diplomat in this matter is readily admitted, but Lord Salisbury is as soundly rated for having yielded to arbitration upon territory over which the Dutch exercised a jurisdiction that has been continued by the British since they succeeded to the Dutch possessions and rights. Still the colonists are satisfied that it is but a question of time when their claims to the entire gold-bearing area north and west of the Essequibo to the right bank of the Amacura river will be fully established, retaining to the colony the valuable properties on the Barima and Barama rivers and their tributaries. As to the Cuyuni, the evidences of Dutch occupation are still visible and the documentary proof of British jurisdiction from the time of the earliest settlement is considered here as complete. There is now evidence to show that the British government not only claimed the territory and assumed a protectorate over the Indian tribes, but that the Indian chiefs made periodical returns to the British government.

Among the documents just discovered is the census return for 1817, sent in by the respective chiefs on the Moruga, Waini, Baima, Barama, Mararuni and Cuyuni rivers. The population is enumerated in the returns and the number of men in each tribe capable of taking up arms is carefully detailed. While the native tribes refused to trade with the Spaniards and repelled their advances, the Dutch were early on friendly terms with all. That was the reason why the Spaniards, and after them the Venezuelans, never occupied territory as far east as the Amacura.

### Illinois Routine Legislative Doings.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 8.—Thursday's session of the legislature was a mere formality. Neither branch was long in session and both adjourned until 9 o'clock Monday morning. In the house Speaker Curtis appointed Rev. David G. Bradford of Peotone as chaplain. Mr. Allen introduced the usual appropriation bills, fixing the expense of the session and the pay of employees at \$63,000. In the senate these bills were introduced by Mr. Dunlap appropriating \$50,000 to pay the assembly employees; by Mr. Templeton appropriating money to cover all the expenses of the session. In joint session the vote on state officers in the late election was canvassed and the republican nominees formally declared elected.

### Maceo Alive Again.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 8.—"Maceo is alive," was the cipher message from Cuba received here Thursday by a reputable married woman from her mother in Cienfuegos, Cuba. A member of the "Cubano circulo" stated that he really believed Maceo was alive, but in a dangerous condition and weak from his terrible wounds.

### Dinner to Cabinet Members.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The series of state dinners given annually by the president at the white house began Thursday night with that given to the members of the cabinet. Ex-Secretaries Smith and Bissell, both of whom resigned as members of the cabinet of this administration, were among the guests.

### Serious Blaze in Athens, Tex.

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 8.—Fire destroyed property on the north side of the public square at Athens, Henderson county, Thursday, estimated in value at from \$75,000 to \$100,000.

### Minnesota Banks Suspend.

Preston, Minn., Jan. 8.—The Bank of Canton, at Canton, and the Citizens' Bank of Lanesboro, both owned and operated by Field, Kelsey & Co., have suspended business.

### Jesse Pomeroy Almost Free.

Boston, Jan. 8.—Jesse Pomeroy, the notorious murderer, serving a life sentence at Charlestown prison, once more almost escaped from jail on Wednesday by removing stone and bricks in his cell. His escape would have been possible in a few hours.

### Minister Willis Is Better.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 8.—Minister Willis, who has been very ill at Honolulu, is reported to be slightly improved in health.

### Farmer Devoured by Hogs.

Atlantic, Iowa, Jan. 8.—Fred Faulk, a farmer near here, was attacked, killed and devoured by hogs.

## STARVING STRIKERS MAY MAKE TROUBLE

### HUNGER DRIVES THE MEN TO DESPERATION.

**Coal Miners in La Salle County, Illinois, Preparing for Deeds of Violence—Desolation and Misery May Be Followed by Bloodshed Unless the Situation Changes.**

Ottawa, Ill., Jan. 8.—One thousand Rutland village miners, destitute and desperate and armed with all sorts of weapons, threaten to break down civil authority and commit deeds of bloodshed to avenge their alleged wrongs. Unless some settlement is immediately made satisfactory to the men, the La Salle riots of three years ago may be repeated, and only the loss of life will uphold the dignity and preserve the peace of Rutland. The men are almost frenzied in their desperate situation, and ominous gatherings portend serious trouble.

The miners have been out on strike against unjust weights for nearly two months and are in a starving condition. They threatened trouble on last Tuesday, but were pacified with promises of settlement by Manager Hakes, which were not fulfilled. They again threatened riot Wednesday, but were put off by a promise of settlement yesterday. This promise also failed and several hundred of the miners threatened to burn the offices and shaft buildings of the company and murder Manager Hakes and his clerks, who are keeping under cover. Deputies are guarding Hakes' residence.

Rutland is a village of 1,500 people on the Illinois Central road in the panhandle of La Salle county, just across the line from Woodford county. The population depends wholly upon the mines for its support, and since the beginning of the strike has been in a destitute condition. If Manager Hakes does not settle in some way by the end of the week trouble so serious is certain that great loss of life may result.

## DEFENDS TREASURY NOTES.

### Senator Sherman Opposes the Proposition to Retire the Issue.

New York, Jan. 8.—Senator John Sherman of Ohio recently wrote the following letter to Albert H. Walker of Hartford Conn.:

"My Dear Sir: I do not sympathize with the movement proposed to retire United States notes from circulation. I believe it is easy to maintain a limited amount of these in circulation without danger or difficulty. The maintenance in circulation of \$346,000,000 United States notes, supported by a reserve of \$100,000,000 gold, not only saves the interest on \$246,000,000 of debt, but is a vast convenience to the people at large. The best form of paper money is that which is backed by the government and maintained at the specie standard. The absolute security of these notes was never called in question, after the resumption of specie payments, until the reserve was being treasured upon to meet deficiencies in current revenues, brought about by what is known as the Wilson tariff law of 1894. Very truly yours,

"JOHN SHERMAN."

### Collides with a Big Snow Drift.

Stephen, Minn., Jan. 8.—A terrible accident happened Thursday on the Great Northern railway at Donaldson station several miles north. As the passenger train was coming into the station with two engines, it struck a snow-drift, throwing the front engine off the track. It struck the platform and tore it up for a distance of thirty feet, and then fell over on its side, burying Engineer Duke Jewell in the wreck. The engineer is not expected to recover. Many others were injured, but none fatally.

### Relief Given 750,000 Persons.

Calcutta, Jan. 8.—At a meeting of the council today Sir John Woodburn, the revenue member, said the timely rains in November and December had saved India from the greatest calamity of the century, so widespread and severe was the drought. In spite of this, however, the present situation was very grave. Nearly 750,000 persons were already in receipt of relief.

### Senator Palmer Is Again Ill.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 8.—A report was again sent out from here Thursday to the effect that Senator Palmer was seriously ill, but it was not justified by facts. He is not seriously ill, but, as he is well advanced in years, his family and his physician feel that he should exercise great care lest he become so.

### Mr. Sargent Prepares a Bill.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 8.—Frank Sargent, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, is preparing, and Assemblyman Bondy of Syracuse will introduce in the assembly, a bill providing for the maintenance of the employees of railroad corporations injured in the discharge of their duty.

### Republican Convention Feb. 23.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 8.—The republican state central committee has decided to hold the state convention to nominate candidates for justices of the supreme court and regents of the university, at the Auditorium, Detroit, on Feb. 23.

## FAVORS DIRECT VOTE.

### Governor Pingree Urges Abolishing Party Conventions.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 8.—The two houses of the legislature convened in joint session Thursday and listened to the addresses of the retiring and incoming governors. Governor Pingree's address at the outset recommended abolishment of party conventions, which, he asserted, had become the mediums of trickery, bribery and fraud. He advocated instead the direct vote and the Australian ballot system in nominating candidates. The governor urged that the property of corporations be taxed in the same manner as other property. Railway fares were argued to be a proper subject for legislative action. The legislature was recommended to consider the question of a uniform 2-cent rate. The governor urged that the referendum practice of referring legislative acts to the people be required in the granting of quasi-public franchises.

After denouncing the trusts and combinations of the present day the governor warned the legislators against permitting Michigan to become the field for operations through which great corporations might acquire possession of the state's mineral resources and in connection therewith control the lake shipping interests.

On the subject of railway taxation Governor Pingree advised the creation of a state board which should determine the value of all corporate property not now taxed locally and which should levy taxes thereon in the same proportion that private property is taxed. The governor came out strongly against "the paid lobbyists who infest our halls." Governor Pingree favors the establishment of a state board of arbitration, and declares for an inheritance tax and an income tax.

As to the settlement of labor troubles, the governor said: "In the experience of the state of Michigan, if not that of the United States, it is found that the military arm is called into requisition to suppress riots, chiefly on account of disagreements between corporations and their employees. Resource to the military should be the final extreme resort. I would recommend that no body of men be allowed the privilege of incorporation without their free consent, expressed in the articles of incorporation, as in part consideration for such privilege, that all disputes found impossible of adjustment between employer and employee shall be referred to arbitrators."

Changes in the rules governing banking concerns were advised as follows: "It seems to be a fact that too few bank directors understand banking, and most of them find it easier, at least when times are good, to leave the management of the bank with its cashier or some other officer. It should be made obligatory upon each bank to require from its cashier or treasurer such a bond as shall be approved by the banking commissioner. Whenever a cashier or treasurer shall, without authority shown upon the records of the bank, discount or cash any negotiable paper or security of any kind, it should be regarded and treated as an unlawful use of the money in the bank and appropriately punished. Business prosperity depends upon sound banking."

In accordance with one of its recommendations, the house received and referred a resolution to exclude lobbyists from the floor.

At the conclusion of the reading of the messages of the incoming and retiring governors the legislature adjourned until next Tuesday.

## SENATOR ALLISON REFUSES.

### Repeats His Declaration that He Will Not Be in the Cabinet.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Senator Allison arrived in Washington Thursday from Canton, where he had a two-hours conference with President-elect McKinley. In answer to inquiries Senator Allison said his conference with Mr. McKinley was of a confidential character, and therefore he was not at liberty to discuss it. As for himself, however, he would say that he would not be in Mr. McKinley's cabinet. As to others, whose names had been prominently mentioned in connection with the cabinet, he knew little. As to the pending Cuban resolutions Senator Allison said he had not discussed them with Mr. McKinley. For his own part, however, he thought it would be unwise for the United States to take any precipitate action in the matter.

### Says He Killed F. P. Arbuckle.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 8.—Frederick Bauman, alias Wilson, a prisoner in the county jail, claims to have been concerned in the murder of Frank P. Arbuckle in New York, Nov. 19. In his confession he implicates Dave Edmunds. According to his story, they met Arbuckle in Sullivan's saloon in New York, and noticing that he was well supplied with money followed him and knocked him on the head. The jail officials think Bauman is pretending to be crazy in order that he may be sent to an asylum.

### Families Saved from Flood.

Quincy, Ill., Jan. 8.—Four families were rescued from the flooded lowlands south of this city by a relief expedition in boats Thursday. They were caught in their homes by the flood, which resulted from the crevasse in the levee, and, being without boats, were unable to escape. One family had nothing to eat but parched corn for two days.

## FIRE AT ROYALTON CAUSES HEAVY LOSS

### THE WISCONSIN CITY IS FLAME SWIFT.

**Nearly the Whole of the Business Portion of the Village is in Ashes—College Presidents May Change Football Rules—A Bank at Eau Claire Closed.**

Weyauwega, Wis., Jan. 8.—Fire destroyed the entire business portion of Royalton Wednesday night. The burned buildings were: F. Genske's and George Hayward's saloon, S. G. McCord's drug store, Leonard Phillips' general store, C. H. Miller's meat market and A. C. Moore's hardware store.

### May Change Football Rules.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 8.—The conference of Western university presidents, which opened here Wednesday, closed Thursday afternoon. A short session was held in the afternoon, at which time the foot ball question came up for discussion. It is believed changes in the rules will be made.

### Eau Claire Bank Closed.

Eau Claire, Wis., Jan. 8.—The Commercial Bank of Eau Claire, capital \$30,000, closed Thursday. The failure is due to the suspension of the Alleman Bank of St. Paul. President Allen says the institution will wind up its affairs and that depositors will be paid in full.

## HONOR JACKSON'S MEMORY.

### Illinois Silver Democrats Attend a Banquet.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Silver democrats gathered at the Tremont house last evening from many far places for a midnight mass in honor of Andrew Jackson. The banquet was attended by every prominent silver democrat in the state.

Mr. Bryan's toast was "Andrew Jackson." Gov. Altgeld followed Mr. Bryan, and responded to the toast, "The Character and Mission of a Minority Party." John W. Tomlinson spoke on "Memories of Heroic Conduct." Ex-Postmaster Ridgely made an address on "Civil-Service Reform." Judge Ambrose's address was on the "Past and Future of the Allied Silver Forces," and William Prentiss spoke on "Bimetallism."

In the course of his speech Mr. Bryan said:

"The money question is not settled. The contest for the restoration of the money of the constitution will go on with renewed vigor. The election has decided the presidency for four years, and it has determined the complexion of congress for two years, but it has not overthrown the convictions of those who believe that the gold standard is a conspiracy against the welfare of the producing masses, nor has it changed the convictions of those who believe that trusts must be abolished and corporations made to obey the law.

The campaign has shown the impossibility of keeping bimetallists and gold-standard advocates in the same political organization, and it will be a more difficult task in the future than it has been this year. Not only is the separation between the gold standard democrats and free-silver democrats a necessity, but it ought to be desirable to both sides. If the gold-standard democrats are as bad, politically, as we think they are, we ought not to care to affiliate with them, and if those who supported the Chicago platform are half as bad as the gold bugs say they are, they are apt to contaminate all who associate with them. In my opinion there should be no compromise of the issues involved in the late campaign, and no terms short of absolute surrender offered those who have deserted us."

## INDIANA LEGISLATURE.

### Republican Caucus Nominees Selected—Governor's Message Today.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 8.—The two branches of the Indiana Legislature were organized at 11 o'clock Thursday morning by the election of the caucus nominees of the Republicans, Henry C. Pettit of Wabash being chosen speaker of the House by a vote of fifty-two to forty-seven for Allen Swope, the Democratic nominee, and the other officers being elected by the same vote, one Democratic member being absent. After the officers of the House were sworn in and a committee on rules appointed the body adjourned to meet this morning.

As soon as the Senate was organized by the election of a secretary, assistant secretary and doorkeeper a resolution was offered to resolve the election of a president pro tem. This was ruled out of order by Lieutenant-Governor Nye, who declared that there was no provision in the constitution for such an officer. An appeal to the Senate was taken from his ruling, and the chair was not sustained, the vote dividing on party lines.

Committees were appointed to notify the Governor that the two Houses were organized, and he replied that he would communicate with them through his biennial message this afternoon.

### Carlisle's Taxes Unpaid.

Paintsville, Ky., Jan. 8.—A tract of land in school district No. 39, Johnson county, the property of John G. Carlisle, secretary of the treasury, has been sold by Manford Castle, treasurer of the school district, for school taxes which were due and unpaid.



## A HAPPY WEDDING OCCURS AT MILTON

CROSBY-WATERMAN NUPTIALS  
SOLMONIZED.

Ceremony Occurred at the Home of the Bride's Parents—Mrs. Nickelson is Called to the Final Rest—Seventh Day Baptist Church is Out of Debt.

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Milton, Wis., Jan. 8, 1897.)

The social event in town this week was the marriage on Thursday evening of Miss Kittie L. Waterman, of this place, to Mr. Leonard G. Crosby, of Minneapolis, the ceremony taking place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Waterman, Rev. R. Chambers, pastor of the Congregational church officiating. The bride party entered the parlor as Miss Grace Spaulding played the wedding march, being preceded by the Misses Alice Chambers and Maudie Whitford as flower girls. The bride and groom took their positions beneath an arch of arbor vitae and carnations, the former accompanied by her brother, Mr. W. H. Waterman and the latter by the officiating clergyman. After the words had been spoken that made the twain one, and congratulations offered the wedding supper was served under the direction of Caterer Shurtliff of Janesville. The happy couple were the recipients of many valuable tokens of affection from relatives and friends. Mrs. Crosby will remain with her parents for a few months, while her husband will pursue his studies in the medical department of Hamline University at Minneapolis, which city is to be their future home. Among the many guests present were the following from out of town: Major H. C. Allen and wife, Madison; John Home, Milwaukee; Mrs. F. A. Root, Clinton; Messrs. and Mesdames H. H. Harris and David Brown, Janesville, and Mrs. F. D. Hall, Johnstown.

### Death of Mrs. Nickelson.

Mrs. Margaret Nickelson, mother of Charles and Nels Nickelson, died at the home of Charles, Monday. The funeral services were held at the house Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Brown, of Milwaukee, a Seventh-Day Advent clergyman, officiating. Deceased was seventy-four years of age.

### Church Is Out of Debt.

The Seventh-Day Baptist church and society began the New Year out of debt and with money in the treasury. The advance of agent and prosperity must have been a resident member of that church.

### Other News Notes.

Treasurer Tracy informs me that the small tax payers have been quite prompt in their payments, but some of the larger amounts are yet unpaid. The friends of C. N. Converse will be glad to learn that his condition is showing some improvement and that there is hope of his recovery.

Many of our citizens will attend the Farmers' Convention at the Junction, which begins its sessions next Wednesday.

Two hundred people took dinner at the S. D. B. church last Sunday instead of one hundred as our previous item stated.

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. C. E. Carpenter, next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

Professor Kumlein is mounting a handsome thirty-two pound wild turkey, shipped to him recently from Texas.

The "Banker Evangelist," E. B. Saunders, has gone to Farino, Ill., to conduct revival services.

Officer Anderson is somewhat better than he was early in the week, but is not able to be up yet.

Rev. Richard Miller, of Janesville, shook hands with Milton acquaintances, Tuesday.

Clem W. Orumb has been confined to the house for a day or two with a sore throat.

Milkman Odenwalder's wife and children are all on the sick list this week.

Mrs. F. A. Root, of Clinton, has been the guest of Milton relatives this week.

Albertus Clarke looked up the Edgerton tobacco market last Tuesday.

G. R. Bess of Dunn, Boss & Co., did business in Stoughton Tuesday.

R. Richardson returned from his South Dakota trip this week.

Mrs. Balknap returned to her Oak Park, Ill., home, this week.

Mrs. C. M. Bliss has returned to her home at Montello.

### THE PEARL CINCH CLUB MEETS

Spent a Pleasant Evening at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor.

Members of the Pearl cinch club met with Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Taylor, 105 Pearl street, last evening, and a very pleasant social hour was spent. The guests were:

Messrs and Mesdames—  
W. E. Wisner, M. McDonald,  
S. Jessup, E. H. Wiland,  
George Bennett, F. B. Hayes,  
E. T. Fish, George A. Warren,  
M. J. Conroy, C. C. Seales,  
W. T. Taylor.

Mesdames—  
C. Chapin, D. Wright,  
O. H. Fessenden.

### LIKES HIS CALIFORNIA HOME.

George E. Anderson much pleased with the Golden Slope Country.

George E. Anderson, formerly of this city, a conductor on the Chicago & North-western railroad, writes from Covina, Cal., declaring that he has found "God's own country." He sends a hand book of Covina, to be placed in the Y. M. C. A. reading room.

### SOLDIERS WANT FLAG HALLOWED

National Guardsmen Protest Against Its Use Commercially.

Capt. C. L. Hanson and Lieut. H. F. Baldwin represented Janesville at the sixteenth annual meeting of the Wisconsin National Guard Officers' association which was opened at the Pfister hotel, Milwaukee, yesterday afternoon with a large attendance.

The following resolutions offered at the urgent request of Capt. Reade, were read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Wisconsin National Guard association solicit its representatives in congress and in the senate to pass a bill which shall provide that any person or persons, corporation or company using the national flag, or the coat of arms of the United States, or any pattern, imitation or representation thereof, either by printing thereon, painting thereon, or attaching to the same any advertisement for public display or distribution for private gain, or as a trade mark advertising device or label, or in connection with any advertisement for private gain, or for political or partisan purposes, or for any object not patriotic in its nature, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, on conviction, be fined a sum not exceeding \$1,000 or be imprisoned for a term not exceeding one hundred days, or both, at the discretion of the district court of the United States.

Resolved, That the secretary of the Wisconsin National Guard association be, and hereby is, instructed to send a copy of these resolutions to the adjutant general of each state and territory of the United States having an organized militia force, and also a copy to the secretary of every military, loyal patriotic and hereditary patriotic organization or society in the United States whose address can be ascertained.

Resolved, That the secretary of the National Guard association of the state of Wisconsin be, and hereby is, instructed to send printed copies of these resolutions to Senators Willam F. Vilas and John L. McHenry; also to each of the representatives of Wisconsin in congress, so letting their co-operation in securing the passage of the bill to prevent the desecration of the national flag on its representations, which bill was reported back by the senate committee on Judiciary to the senate on Feb. 4, 1896.

Resolved, That the secretary of the Wisconsin National Guard association be, and hereby is, instructed to send printed copies of these resolutions to the following named members of the Judiciary committee of the United States senate, viz: Hon. G. E. Hoar, chairman; Henry M. Teller, O. H. Platt, John L. Mitchell, James L. Pugh, J. Z. George, William F. Vilas, David B. Hill and William Lindsay; also to the members of the committee on Judiciary of the house of representatives, soliciting to co-operate in the passage of such a law as is specified in the first resolution.

The resolution was unanimously adopted, with the addition of a clause appropriating \$25 for the printing and mailing of the resolutions. A ten days' camp was favored by the officers present, and new Springfield rifles will be asked for.

### THE POLICY HOLDERS TO FIGHT

Odd Fellows of Janesville Decide on That Action.

A meeting of former policy holders in the Wisconsin Odd Fellows' Mutual Life Insurance company, who reside in Janesville and vicinity, was held last night. J. W. Ostrander, of Jefferson, secretary of the company, threatens to bring suit against those policy holders who dropped out to recover the assessments called for between the time of the payment of their last assessments and the time when, by failure to pay, they forfeited their policies. This amount varies from \$15 to \$20 a person. There were about 500 policyholders in Rock county, but most of them have dropped out, owing to the great expense and frequent assessments. At the meeting, it was unanimously decided to fight the company through all the courts. Sutherland & Noan were retained to defend the actions in case they were brought, and a fund was raised to carry on the fight. Alfred Dewey was chosen chairman of the meeting and I. C. Brownell secretary and treasurer.

### W. H. WHALEN INVENTS A KINDLER

Has a Scheme to Do Away With Kindling Wood.

Foreman William H. Whalen of the Chicago & Northwestern shops in this city, is the patentee of a fire kindler for engines. The invention consists of asbestos placed between two pieces of iron. This apparatus is three inches thick, twelve inches long and ten inches wide. Crude oil is then used to soak the entire "block" which is placed in the fire box and is used in place of wood. Economy is its strongest point, for this same block may be used over and over again by re-soaking it.

### PROF. D. D. MAYNE IS IN CHARGE

Will Give Personal Attention to High Athletic Sports.

Professor D. D. Mayne of this city, has been appointed as one of a committee of three, who will have charge of all inter-scholastic contests throughout the state for the year '97. The arrangement will make a change in high school athletic sports for the coming season. Twelve rules have been framed and adopted which went into effect the first of this year covering all points for the betterment of high school sports. Professor Mayne will have personal charge of the local athletic teams for this year.

### TAKE UP SHAKESPEARE'S WORK

Clarence Burdick Is To Adopt New Role Next Season.

Clarence Burdick of this city, who is known on the stage as Earl Doty, will appear next season in an entirely new line of work. During the past season Mr. Burdick and his wife have achieved success in plays at popular prices, but during the coming season will appear in Shakespearean drama. This winter they will devote most of their time preparing for the change, expecting to take the road in the spring.

### FEAST FOR THE EARLY SETTLERS

Ladies of the Congregational Church Will Serve the Banquet.

The ladies of the Congregational church will serve the supper for the Old Settlers, at their annual meeting to be held in the Y. M. C. A. building January 19, the Ladies' Auxiliary having decided not to do so. The matter was settled at a meeting last evening.

## FORMAL CALL SENT REV. MR. DENNISON

CONGREGATIONALISTS ASK HIM  
TO COME HERE.

Despite the Fact that He Has Offers From Montreal, Hartford, San Francisco and St. Louis, it is Thought He Will Come Here, as He Likes the Climate.

Rev. Robert C. Dennison, of St. Louis, will, in all probability, be the next pastor of the Congregational church.

A unanimous call was extended to him at a meeting held last night.

The meeting was held at the church parlors immediately after the prayer meeting closed. J. A. Cunningham presided and about seventy-five members of the church and society were present. It was the unanimous sense of the meeting that Rev. Mr. Dennison be asked to come here, and the formal call was authorized.

Rev. Mr. Dennison is now in St. Louis. He is considering four other calls. One is from Montreal, Canada, another from St. Louis, another from San Francisco, and still another from Hartford, Conn. The latter is a most flattering offer. It is thought, however, that Rev. Mr. Dennison will decide to come here. His health has not been real good, and physicians recommend his leaving the Southern states. Wisconsin air agrees with him, so he will probably accept the Janesville call, although more advantageous conditions are attached to some of the other offers.

Janesville people will extend a warm welcome to Rev. Mr. Dennison in case they decide to locate here.

### THEY MAY GO TO JAPAN TO WORK

Engineers Hayward and Dougherty Investigate a Government Offer.

Two Janesville locomotive engineers are figuring on entering the service of the Japanese government, and left for Chicago to look into the matter. Some days ago, a railway journal published an advertisement in which competent engineers were offered three hundred dollars a month, and conductors two hundred and fifty dollars. Engineers E. P. Hayward and Charles Dougherty, of this city, read the ad, and decided to go to Chicago to investigate. An agent of the Japanese government is in that city for the purpose of hiring men.

### MR. KENT OFFERS HIS FACTORY

Electric Vehicle Company Can Use It Free Of Charge.

In all probability the plant of the American Vehicle company will be located in the A. C. Kent corn planter factory. Mr. Kent will give the use of his factory for a year and a half, free of charge. It is the present intention of the company, to start in on a small scale and increase the capacity of the plant as the business is built up. The amount of bonus asked of the citizens will probably be reduced to correspond with the saving effected by the offer of the Kent factory. A responsible firm wants to contract with the company to take the entire output of the factory for one year, at thirty-five per cent profit, and they would not want less than one thousand vehicles.

### RAILROAD BUSINESS VERY QUIET

Many Baraboo Men Are Laid Off and "Set Back."

A dispatch from Baraboo says: "Railroad business has never before been as dull here as it is at the present time. On the Madison division of the Northwestern line all the trainmen in the 'chain gangs' have been laid off and many engineers have been 'set back' to take the places of firemen and brakemen, who are young in the service. The force in the train dispatchers' and superintendents' offices have also been reduced. Only regular freight trains are being run."

### CLOTHING CO.'S TRADE BOOMS

The Employees Now Work Until Nine O'Clock at Night.

On account of constantly increasing business, the Janesville Clothing company are now running their factory until 9 o'clock in the evening. Every machine is being pushed to its utmost capacity to fill back orders. Since the beginning of the new year, this well known firm has been receiving orders from all parts of the country.

### THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT

Good Templars.  
Bower City Veris.  
Culture club social.  
Union Catholic League social.  
Boot & Shoemakers' International Union.

Week of prayer service at the Congregational church.

Joint installation of W. H. Sargent Post and Woman's Relief Corps.

Meeting of the Business Men's Association at the Y. M. C. A. building.

### Home Seekers' Excursions.

Home Seekers' round trip excursion tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Northern Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Arkansas, Alabama, in Florida on the Louisville & Nashville railroad North and South Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kentucky and western portion of Colorado will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at half fare plus \$2.00 on January 5 and 19, February 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6 and 20, 1897.

Every gasoline stove we have left goes at exact cost. Lowell.

### SOME NEWS FROM ROUND ABOUT

200 kid dolls all sizes, 16 cents up. Lowell.

Two dollar tan shoes at \$1.20 a pair at Lowell's.

\$6.98 jackets and capes at Bort, Bailey & Co.

One thousand lamp chimneys, two for 5 cents. Lowell.

Two hundred black and white shirts 38 cents each. Lowell.

\$15 to \$25 variety garments for \$6.98. Bort, Bailey & Co.

ANY cloth cape or jacket in the house, \$6.98. Bort, Bailey & Co.

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ONE dollar all wool undershirts at 49 cents. Lowell Hardware Co.

SEVENTEEN cent books, cloth bound, etc., 13 cents, any in store. Lowell.

Box calf, the ladies' favorite winter shoe, \$2.85 and \$3.75. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

HAVE you secured one of those beautiful plush capes at Bort, Bailey & Co's. \$6.98 sale?

200 JAPANESE tin cuspidors worth 15 cents a for 5 cents each. Lowell Hardware Co.

PRETTY ingrain carpets, a new invoice of them just received at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

DISHES never so low, crockery at cost, every piece we have. Lowell Hardware Co.

JACKETS and capes lower and better than you have seen them this season. At Bort, Bailey & Co.

LADIES' and misses leggins, the \$1.50 and \$1.75 kinds, at \$1.00 and \$1.25. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

TONIGHT'S meeting at the Congregational church will close the week of prayer series of meetings.

FOR SALE—A five year old chestnut driving mare, sound, gentle and a fine driver. Lowell Hardware Co.

THE Baptists and Congregationalists will join in week of prayer services at the Congregational church this evening.

THE adjourned annual meeting of the Rock County Agricultural society will take place tomorrow at the court house.

WE have six or seven plush jackets, trimmed with beautiful passementeries, all silk lined, sold for \$25, now \$6.98. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE annual meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church was held in the church parlors this afternoon.

THE Women's Mission Circle of the First Baptist church met this afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Mary Crosby on North Jackson street.

THE advance sale of the Columbia Comedy Company opens Saturday evening. Ladies will be admitted free where a thirty cent ticket is paid for.

WE would not be able to reduce those shoes we advertise tonight to \$2.50 if it were not for the cash system we are using. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

THE regular meeting of the Willing Workers Mission Band of the First Presbyterian church was held in the church parlors beginning at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

MEMBERS of the Culture club of All Souls' church will enjoy a social at the church parlors this evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall and Marter Harold Hall will be in charge.

CHRISTOPHER PRIFER, an employe of F. M. Marzluff & Co., was caught in a belt yesterday, and quite painfully hurt, although Dr. E. F. Woods says no bones were broken.

JOHN HIGHT, Robert Morton, David Carter, Volney Wood, James McGowan and Thomas Clark served as pall bearers at the funeral of R. T. Pember yesterday. The song service was rendered by Mrs. C. F. Yates, Mrs. E. M. Byzer, C. N. Vankirk and C. F. Yates.

DR. J. WARDLAW entertained a few friends at the home of Mrs. Thomas Graham, 104 South Main street last evening. Dr. Wardlaw will soon leave for the west in search of a climate more suited to his health and last night's event was in the nature of a farewell gathering.

A PARTY of the friends of John McCue surprised him last evening, at his home on South Jackson street. The evening was spent in playing cinch. Miss Minnie Mackin and John Dwyer received the first prizes, while the consolation prizes fell to Mrs. Nellie Mason of Milwaukee, and John Sheridan.

## Liver Iils

Like biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work easily and thoroughly.

Best after dinner pills.

25 cents. All druggists.

Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

The only Pill to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### MYERS GRAND.

### COLUMBIAN COMEDY CO.

In an entire change of repertoire.

New Plays—New Music—New Songs.

Opening Monday with the beautiful five-act melo-drama, entitled

### The Silver King.

Popular Prices—10, 20 and 30 cents.

Ladies free Monday night when accompanied by one paid 30 cent ticket.

Seat sale opening Saturday eve.

## J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

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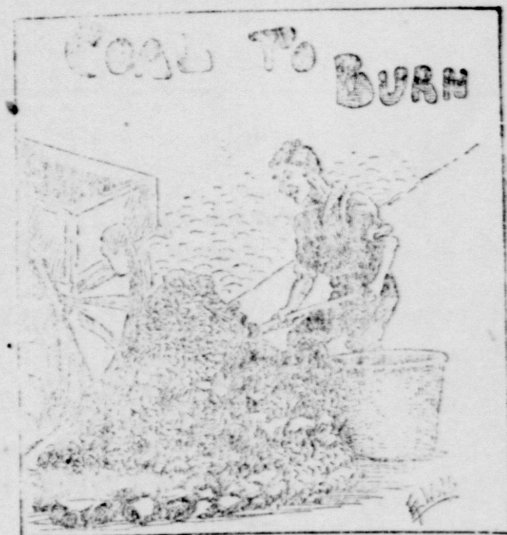
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Our assortment is the best to be found in these diggins.

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And not to heat up like stones and die, is what you want. Our coal is all coal and nothing but coal. There is a difference in the quality of Coals.

### JANESVILLE COAL CO

P. E. NEUSES, Secretary Telephone 89.

## Testimonials on QUAKER BREAD...

We could secure any number of testimonials for the high qualities of Quaker Bread for the asking. Pure, light, and yet with enough substance to keep it soft and fresh. Wagons pass your door daily.

### WEST SIDE BAKERY.

PAUL GEHRKE, Prop.

## Are Your Magazines Worth Preserving?

If so, they are worth binding. We do all kinds of binding at reasonable prices. We also supply missing numbers where sets are broken. Get your magazines together and call telephone No. 229. We will send for them.

### W. E. CLINTON & CO.,

Telephone 229. 32 S. Main St. (Over Conrad & Co.)

The Rambler claw sprocket and L cranks are distinctive features. This year new adjusting cone dog is used that cannot be thrown loose by any jar of the machine.

A. H. Sheldon & Co., Hardware, Milwaukee and Main.

Do you know that we can do your

## Family Washing

for you better than you can do it yourself, and cheaper too. We have new, special machinery for this special purpose. Try us and be convinced that our work and prices are right. A postal card will bring the wagon to your door.

Janesville Steam Laundry, 13 S. Main Street.

## A Business College for A Business Training..

Nowhere else can shorthand, book-keeping and penmanship be taught as they should be taught. No conflicting studies to divert the attention.

Janesville Business College, Jackson Block, Janesville, Wisconsin. Telephone No. 87.

## Bicycle models for 1897 are here. Come in and see what Gormully & Jeffrey pre-

sent in the 'Rambler.'

A. H. Sheldon & Co., Milwaukee and Main, Hardware.



## THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

## CIS IN JANESVILLE MARKETS

Quotations On Grain and Produce as Reported For the Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.

Flour—Good to best Patent, \$1.10 to \$1.25 per sack.  
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25c per 10 lb. sack.  
WHEAT—F. 1st to best quality 65 @ 70c.  
BUCKWHEAT—30 @ 35c per 52 lbs.  
Rye—At 37 @ 40c per 60 lbs.  
BARLEY—Ranges at 18c @ 24c according to quality.

CORN—Old, 18 @ 20c; new, per 75 lbs., 14 @ 15c.

OATS—White, 13c @ 15c.

CLUBBER FEED—\$3.00 @ \$3.75 per bushel.

TIMOTHY SEED—8c @ \$1.00 per bushel.

HAY—Per ton, \$7.00 @ \$7.50.

STRAW—\$4.00 @ \$5.00 per ton.

MEAL—50c per 100 lbs. Boiled \$1.00.

FEED—50c @ 60c per 100 lbs. \$10.00 per ton.

BEAN—45c per 100 lbs; \$8.70 per ton.

MIDDINGS—50c per 100, \$9.00 per ton.

POTATOS—20c @ 25c per bushel.

BUTTER—16c @ 18c.

Eggs—17c @ 18c per dozen.

POULTRY—Turkeys, 9 @ 10 chickens, 6 @ 7.

Wool—11c @ 14c for washed; 8c @ 11c for unwashed.

HIDES—Green, 5c @ 6c; dry, 8c @ 9c.

PELTS—Range at 15c @ 45c each.

## Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the board of trade today:

ARTICLES	High	Low	Closing
Wheat—Jan.	79	78 1/2	79
May	82 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
July	77 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2
Corn—Jan.	23	22 1/2	23
May	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/4
July	26 1/2	26 1/4	26 1/4
Oats—Jan.	15 1/2	15 1/4	15 1/4
May	19 1/2	18 1/2	19 1/2
July	19 1/2	18 1/2	19 1/2
Pork—Jan.	7 5/8	7 5/8	7 5/8
May	7 5/8	7 5/8	7 5/8
July	7 5/8	7 5/8	7 5/8
Lard—Jan.	3 8 1/2	3 8 1/2	3 8 1/2
May	3 9 1/2	3 9 1/2	3 9 1/2
July	3 9 1/2	3 9 1/2	3 9 1/2
Sh'ts—Jan.	4 00	3 97 1/2	4 00
May	4 00	3 97 1/2	4 00
July	4 00	3 97 1/2	4 00

## Bradbury Piano Reduction Sale Continued.

The success of our before Christmas Reduction Sale direct from manufacturer to private customer, all over Wisconsin, encourages us to continue the sale longer. Every family wanting to buy the sweetest and best toned piano made, with a reputation of the highest rank, over fifty years established, should write us quickly.

A beautiful catalogue showing the celebrated Bradbury piano in all styles will be mailed you on request with a wholesale reduction price that will agreeably surprise you. The day has gone by for purchasing a piano of unknown merit when the standard Bradbury can be had so cheaply. Parties not wishing to pay all cash will be accommodated.

Every instrument guaranteed for a term of years. Ask your local banker or consult Dun or Bradstreet for our financial standing in Brooklyn, New York, Chicago, and wherever we have branch houses. Let us hear from you now if you intend to buy in the next three years. F. G. SMITH, Sole Manufacturer, 255-257 Wabash Ave., Chicago. Factories, Brooklyn.

## Everything Goes.

We offer all our fixtures at bargain. They must be sold. The lot includes:

- 13 show cases.
- 1 desk.
- 1 Caligraph typewriter, nearly new.
- 1 large safe.
- 1 lot of counters.
- 1 lot of shelving.
- 3 horses.
- 3 drays.
- 1 large store heater.
- 1 elevator complete.
- 3 stove trucks; and all other utensils and tools used in connection with a hardware store. Lowell.

## Personally Conducted Tour Through Mexico.

The Northwestern line has arranged for a personally conducted tour through Mexico, under the auspices of Mr. J. J. Grafton, the well known excursion manager. The party will unite at Chicago and leave there Tuesday morning February 2, 1897, in a special vestibuled train of palace sleeping cars, observation cars and dining cars, which will be their home for the entire trip. During the tour, which will consume thirty days, all of the cities and almost every place of interest in this wonderful country will be visited. To accommodate those who desire to remain longer than thirty days, arrangements will be made for the extension of the time limit of tickets. Illustrated pamphlets and full information as to rates, etc., will be furnished on application to agents, Chicago and Northwestern Ry.



Almost every man in America has some digestive trouble. When men meet, the greeting usually is "Well, how's your liver?" That develops health talk. The man who has no stomach or bowel trouble is almost a curiosity. Trouble is men take no care of themselves. They eat as if they had copper stomachs and bowels of brass. By and by, overworked nature rebels. Then come headaches, nervousness, bad blood, liver and kidney troubles.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, furnish help for constipation and torpid liver, sick and bilious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, indigestion, or dyspepsia, windy belching, "heartburn," pain and distress after eating, and kindred derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels. Accept no substitute.

## ODD BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

A SHELL game—oysters.

BOWER City Verin meets tonight.

This is the second Friday of the month.

DR. E. F. WOODS is home from Fort Atkinson.

LAFLOR Especial 5 cent cigar. Curtis & Kenlow.

WANTED—Good girl for housework. Mrs. M. F. Grubb.

THE Union Catholic League social occurs this evening.

LADIES \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 shoes for \$2.00 at Richardson's.

Boys' all wool pants 25 cents each. Lowell Hardware Co.

THE Columbia Comedy Co. will be here all of next week.

This is the regular meeting night of the Good Templars.

THE Evening Whist club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Reid tonight.

SOME men seem to think that a pew receipt is a passport to heaven.

FOUR set of shelf ladders with all rails, rollers and parts, at Lowell's.

Do you want a driving or work horse cheap? See Lowell; he has three for sale.

SPECIAL \$2.50 sale of ladies' shoes, worth \$2, \$3.50 and \$4 at Richardson Shoe Co.

OFFICERS of W. H. Sargent Post and Woman's Relief Corps will be installed tonight.

This is the regular meeting night of the Boot and Shoemakers' International union.

Mrs. HENRY M. EDWARDS entertained the Innocents Abroad this afternoon.

We have two cases more of cotton blankets at 37 1/2 cents. Great favorites. Bort, Bailey & Co.

BEAUTIFUL new soft outing flannel just received at Bort, Bailey & Co's. Ladies will be interested in it.

A VERY enjoyable dancing social was given by the Daughters of Rebekah at G. A. R. hall last evening.

THE Business Men's association will meet at the Y. M. C. A. building tonight, the session being an adjourned meeting.

500 pair ladies \$1.75 shoes \$1 a pair, 250 a pair mens' \$1.75 shoes \$1.10 pair. \$2.50 shoes for \$1.50 a pair. Lowell's.

ALL persons having accounts against the Lowell Hardware Company are requested to hand them in before the 20th of the month.

We have one new and one second hand furnace in fine repair, that will be closed out at bargain to some one. Lowell Hardware Co.

Your opportunity, ladies, for securing a high priced shoe, at a very nominal figure, is here. For particulars, see our large announcement, page 8. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

ABOUT 50 new lawn mowers with all the latest improvements and from 12 1/2 inches in width, at from \$2.30 to \$4.05, exact cost, are to be sold at Lowell's. You will want one for next summer.

WHAT is the use of going around in a shabby looking cape or jacket the balance of the winter when for so little an outlay you can get the prettiest and latest style garment in the city at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

## Tour of Old Mexico.

Under escort of American Tourist association. Beau Campbell, General manager. January 19 and February 27. Sleeping and dining cars and special baggage cars through all the tour without change. More miles and days in Mexico, more cities and towns than ever offered. Tickets include all expenses, sleeping and dining cars, hotels, etc. Apply to any ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway for further particulars.

The length of life may be increased lessening its dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. C. D. Stevens.

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariably reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure. It never fails in colds, croup and lung trouble. Children live it because it is pleasant to take and it helps them. C. D. Stevens.

## Her Dearest Wish.

"Darling," he said, "now that we're married what is your dearest wish?" She gazed into his eyes with a sweet, confiding look and said: "That you will try to have the jeweler take this engagement ring back, so that you can get me one with a diamond at least half as large again."—Cleveland Leader.

## Too, Too Much.

"Have a little more of the booze?" asked Perry Patette, after taking a pull at the bottle.

"I—I guess I better not try any more," said Wayworn Watson, with a shudder; "I've been seeing' wood-saws floating in the air for near an hour."

SINCE our invoice taking we find we have too many ladies shoes of different lines and to reduce the stock offer \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 goods at \$2.50. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

## CUPID'S WORK WELL DONE

Lueck-Affeldt.

Miss Matilda J. Affeldt and Herman Gustave George Lueck, both of this city, were married at St. Paul's German Lutheran church, Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, Rev. C. J. Koerner officiating. The bride and groom were attended by Miss Anna Kiennast and Miss Emma Lueck, sister of the groom, as bridesmaid, and Gustave Lueck, brother of the groom, and Frank Zahn as groomsmen. The groom is a carpenter by trade and both young people are well known in this city.

Council-Keeley.

James Connell, of the town of Rock, and Miss Martha Keeley, of Edgerton, were married at St. Joseph's Catholic church, Edgerton, yesterday morning, Rev. Father J. E. Harlin officiating.

"Excuse me," observed the man in spectacles, "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where the liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe or his left ear De Witt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him." C. D. Stevens.

THE old way of delivering messages by post boys compared with the modern telephone illustrates the old tedious methods of "brealing" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. C. D. Stevens.

SCALY eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, sea burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles and it always cures them. C. D. Stevens.

If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth, Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children's teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

To cure all old sores, to heal an indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. C. D. Stevens.

A \$25 winter garment will last you number of years, \$6.98 will buy any \$15 to \$25 cloth cape or jackets at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

## SHAKERS AND DOCTORS TALK TOGETHER.

In his able work entitled "Longevity," published a few years ago, Dr. John Gardner, of England, predicts that a vegetable agent will yet be found that shall so retard those changes that bring about old age as to prolong human life much beyond its present limit.

Acting, perhaps, upon the impulse produced by this thought, many eminent physicians have called from time to time upon the Shakers of Mt. Lebanon to inquire of them concerning the secrets of medicinal plants, in which these sincere, simple minded and God-fearing people are known to be wise and skillful beyond all other men.

The Shakers willingly told what they had learned, and in return received from their visitors much valuable information about disease; which they at once made practical use of. The most important point was that if a genuine and certain remedy could be found for indigestion and dyspepsia, and the ailments growing out of it a long step would be taken in the right direction. Old age, said these physicians, begins in a failure of the digestion, and so do most diseases at any and all periods of life. The result of these consultations was the discovery by the Shakers of the desired specific, made wholly from herbs, and now known as the Shaker Digestive Cordial. Its action is magical and worthy of its origin.

Where there is distress after eating, heartburn, sick headache, bad taste in the mouth, biliousness, weakness and weariness, cold hands and feet, aversion to food, nervousness, or any other symptom of dyspepsia the Cordial will prove its curative virtues. Behind it is the reputation of a people who have never defrauded or deceived their fellow men.

In order to test whether this remedy is adapted to your case, at practically no cost, you may procure a trial bottle for ten cents of almost any druggist.

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT Seven-room house on Cornelia 2d ward. Enquire at 58 Cornelia St. In good repair, Nicely located.

FOR RENT—House No. 14 Milton avenue. Enquire of H. G. Carter.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Janesville Machine Co. stock. Enquire of Dunwiddie & Wheeler.

FOR SALE Two boilers suitable for factory work. Enquire at this office.

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DEATHS IN HISTORY

1642—Death of Galileo Galilei, commonly called Galileo, who insisted that "the earth does move."

1815—Battle of New Orleans. Over 2,000 British fell. Jackson's loss was 8 killed and 13 wounded.

1821—James Longstreet, soldier, born in Edgefield district, S. C.

1825—Eli Whitney, inventor of cotton gin and improved firearms, died in New Haven; born 1765.

1849—George Croghan, hero of the battle of Tippecanoe, Fort Meigs and Sandusky, died in New Orleans; born 1791.

1894—Fire destroyed part of the World's fair buildings, valued at \$1,000,000.

1896—Ex-Governor W. R. Marshall of Minnesota died at Pasadena, Cal.; born 1825.

## NOT FAR APART.

Honest money men of all shades are likely to pull together on tariff legislation. Gold democrats and republicans begin to realize that they are a good deal nearer together on the tariff question than they supposed. The "reasonable protection" of the republicans and the "incidental protection" of the democrats approach one another very closely.

There never was a time in all the past history of the country when the low tariff men of all shades were as tolerant toward the protective policy as they are at this moment. They see that the present tariff act is not what the country wants, and they are disposed to let the republicans have a fair opportunity to frame a measure along protectionist lines. Not only are reasonable free traders opposed to all factious obstruction to republican policy of this sort, but they are inclined to aid in a moderate degree by their votes. The free traders referred to here are those who either voted for Palmer or who came over to McKinley. For this reason the chances for the passage of a tariff bill in the next senate, even if the republicans come short of having a clear majority of that body, are good.

## MAKE BETTER CHEESE.

Wisconsin cheese makers are fond of declaring that the only thing needed to revive the cheese industry is government aid. The agricultural department takes a different and more sensible view. In its new report some causes of discouragement are noted, especially the Canadian and Australian competition, the immense quantities of filled cheese manufactured and sold as "full cream cheese" and the effect of the Baines law. "The first and most obvious thing to be done is to make better cheese," the report says, "cheese which will possess just as fine flavor and just as long keeping qualities as the foreign product. Our merchants must struggle to retain the markets of the south and west." A third suggestion is the manufacture of a greater variety of fancy cheese, there being "no good reason why our cheese dairies should not become as prosperous as they were down so the disastrous season of 1895."

## THE FIGHT AGAINST MADDEN

Illinois begins to realize the disgrace that would accompany Alderman Madden's election to the senate. The awakening comes rather late, however. Madden's friends have the reins in their grasp and are likely to drive as they see fit. The state which sent such men as Douglass, Trumbull, Logan and David Davis to the senate should not descend to the Madden standard; but a state with such traditions to uphold cannot afford to wait until the eleventh hour before marshalling its forces.

There are a number of rule or ruin men that the republican party would be much better off without. Although Kentucky and Delaware are not the only states in which party trouble is being made by those men, they are just at present conspicuous as storm centers.

There is a Missouri gentleman who isn't caring a continental about togas and other Roman toggery, but who is working hard to convince the legislature of his state that it has only to send the United States senate a Vest, to do the right thing.

The attention of Dr. Talmage is respectfully called to the fact that the Salvation Army originated the idea of employing cavalry to fight sin.

Neither honesty nor conservatism can be kept by law, but the dishonest can be heavily punished, and thus be made to help increase honesty.

It is announced that the Farmer's Alliance will shortly cease to exist in

Kansas and Nebraska. Another instance of what might have been made a useful organization by trying to use it as a political machine.

Notwithstanding all that has been said and done we maintain that trust, especially getting it, makes more gray hairs than trusts.

One of Bryan's troubles is that he doesn't know the difference between thinking and thinking he is thinking.

## Occasion for Regret.

It was his wife's father who spoke. "Do you know," he said, "that you made a very poor impression upon me the first time you called?"

The wife's father's son-in-law shook his head.

"Well, you did," continued the father-in-law of the wife's father's son-in-law. "I had half a mind to kick you out."

"Too bad you didn't," regretfully answered the son-in-law of the father-in-law of the wife's father's son-in-law. —Chicago Post.

## An Expert at It.

When the farmer's young son goes to college

He proves himself naught but a goose; While the old man is raising potatoes, The young man is raising the deuce.

—Brooklyn Life.

## JUST THE PLAIN TRUTH.



Widow (ordering tombstone)—And I don't want any maudlin sentiment on it; just put: "Died, Age 75. The Good Die Young."—Phil May's Annual.

## Inconsiderate.

"I dreamt I dwelt in marble halls," She sings the whole night through; She never seems to think that we Would like to dream some, too.

—Washington Star.

## His Conduct Explained.

Mrs. Ferry—Just think! That man's wife across the way died only six weeks ago, and to-day he is getting married!

Mr. Ferry—Well, what would you have? You surely could not expect a man on a salary to stand the expense of a funeral and a wedding all in the same month, could you?—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## Taking No Chances.

Sick Physician—My dear, I must ask you to send for Dr. Cutem, as I feel the necessity of having medical treatment.

His Wife—But why do you not doctor yourself?

Sick Physician—How can you ask when you are aware how few of my patients recover.—N. Y. Tribune.

## Pro and Con.

Mrs. Rodgers—I am always in favor of giving the under dog a show.

Mrs. Rodgers—It's a wonder, then, that you don't remove the pressure from your husband once in awhile.

The ensuing affair was not governed by Queensbury rules.—Cleveland Leader.

## Life at the Mines.

Pennsylvania Citizen (breathlessly)—Come down to Shantytown.

The Hungarians are killing each other and the gutters are running with blood.

Pennsylvania Constable—My! my! What is it—a wedding or a christening?

—N. Y. Weekly.

## How He Refrained.

He—I hope you ladies appreciate the great self-control I am exhibiting.

One of the Girls—Self-control? In what way?

"I have said nothing about a thorn between two roses."—N. Y. Truth.

## Alpha and Omega.

Cor.—The great trouble with female suffragists is that they go to extremes.

Merritt—I quite agree with you, my dear. They used to be satisfied with short hair; now they want short skirts.

—N. Y. Journal.

## Truly Wonderful.

"What do you think of my French, Jules?" I asked of my Paris guide.

"It is wonderful, madame," he replied, courteously. "In all my life before I never have heard anything like it."

—Tit-Bits.

## Women's Ways.

"When Mrs. Rawton lived in Pawpaw she wouldn't wear a gown unless it was made in Chicago."

"Yes, and now that she lives in Chicago, she won't wear any gown made outside of Paris."—Chicago Record.

## Case of Heredity.

Kohlspring—Do you believe in heredity, Mrs. Westside?

Mrs. Westside—Most assuredly I do. There is Pearl Place; her father was a boiler-maker, and she fairly dotes on Wagner.—Buffalo Evening Times.

## A Life Saver.

Puffy—Just saved a man's life.

Guffy—How was that?

Puffy—Met a fellow on the street. Said he'd blow my brains out if I didn't give him my watch. Gave him the watch.—Tit-Bits.

## An Inference.

Jones—The play is said to be an artistic success.

Smith—Are they losing much money on it?—N. Y. Truth.

## Nothing Serious.

Limp—What is the matter with Miss Placid's eyes?

Gimply—Oh, they toe in a little, that's all.—N. Y. World.

## Cruel Work of Robbers.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Two robbers visited the home of Christopher Wartenburg and his wife, near Hinsdale, Tuesday night, torturing the aged couple in a barbaric manner to force them to reveal the hiding place of supposed wealth. The robbers placed the feet of the aged couple in a tub filled with snow and salt, but the cruel agonies inflicted failed to yield the desired information. As a climax to the atrocity the assailants finally bound the pair in a position where the feet and limbs were immersed in the freezing mixture, and escaped.

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The medicines prepared for me were not only wonderfully prompt in their action but the benefit received permanent and lasting.

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Armour's fancy bulk Mince Meat... 8c  
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There are as handsome garments in our cloak room as when the season began. Many of the finest styles are here yet, as is often the case, the best are left because of their expensiveness. We upset the prices on all now and cut the price on every garment in half. This cut does away with their expensiveness, but it doesn't affect the quality. They are just as stylish, just as good, but not so costly, that's all. Today and every day we offer

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" " " " " " " " " "	17c	25c
" " " " " " " " " "	29c	50c
Misses' and Children's fleeced Union Suits,	29c	60c
" " " " " " " " " "	19c	25c
Misses' and Child's all wool scarlet Vests & Pants,	25c	60c
Ladies' fine wool Union Suits,	\$1 10	\$1 50
" " " " " " " " " "	1.50	2.00
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Gents' heavy Shirts and Drawers,	29c	50c
Gents' fleeced " " " " " " " " " "	35c	50c
" " " " " " " " " "	50c	75c
Infants' Cashmere Bonnets,	15c	25c
" " " " " " " " " "	19c	50c
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DRESS GOODS:		
Fine all wool black and color-d 40 & 44-in Henriettas	25c	....
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4-4 bleached soft finish Muslin,	5c	7c
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HANDKERCHIEFS:		
Ladies' embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs,	9c	20c

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# OUR DAILY STORY



On those nights when the theaters and the like find no favor with me I linger in Uncle Reuben's dim lit place until the last grateful guest has gone, and, sipping the "madeery," listen through the long hours to the quaint old dinky stories of his people and his south—cheerily told old tales of hot passions, heart conquests, harsh days, happy nights and all that life which was at once the color and character of the time now dead and gone forever out of the sunlight and into the shadow of Dixie.

In all the years of his life in New York I do not think Uncle Reuben has ever quite reconciled himself to his environment, and there is the tone of affection and admiration in his voice when he speaks of those Baxters who had been his masters. All the Baxter women were angelic, all the Baxter men were brave. Reuben was himself a Baxter if you asked him for his lineage.

Uncle Reuben's restaurant was almost deserted the other evening at the late hour when I dropped in for a baked bass and a bottle of his "madeery." The old negro came shuffling forward at my entrance and, with a "How d'ye do?" began to spread the snowy cloth.

"Whut kin I sarve yuh tuhnigh, suh?"

"One of those fish, Uncle Reuben; the way I like it."

"Yes, suh," and the order went into the kitchen, Uncle Reuben returning as soon as he had given his directions for the cooking.

"Been outen the city, suh?"

"Yes, uncle."

"Wes' Ten'see, maybe?"

"No; North Carolina."

"No'th Carolina? Wuz yuh meetin any folks down thah by th name uv Bonwells?"

"I hadn't that pleasure, Uncle Reuben. Do you know anybody in Carolina?"

"Yes, suh. Least I know some folks whut cum fum thah. Th Bonwells wuz Ca'lina folks' fo' they come tuh wes' Ten'see. They is mixed up wiv th Baxtash—kindah married amongst 'em, yuh know, an th Baxtash bein my folks, uv co'se, I mus' know th Bonwells. Yuh see, th Bonwells cum ovah fum No'th Ca'lina long time ago an settle in wes' Ten'see, an wantin tuh be thought well uv in th county, they nachully git tuh know th Baxtash. Th two families been mo' less togethah evah sence. Pow'ful nice folks is th Bonwells; only kindah hasty."

"Hasty?"

"Yes, suh, yuh knows; hasty 'bout sayin things 'bout people an hasty 'bout reachin fo' they pockets. Mos' evah bit uv trouble in Obion county used tuh have a Bonwell in it. Gwine tuh take long time fo' th' bass, suh" (apologetically).

"Then tell me about the Bonwells."

"Yes, suh. Yuh see, suh, they wuz these kin uv folks whut wuz allus roun at th wrong time, allus gittin intuh trouble whut they couldn't keep outen. Uv co'se they didn't mean no harm, but yuh know how it is. A geman, he gits insulted by somebody, an he des got tuh fight. Th' th' way th Bonwells. They had so much trouble th' aftah while they des kindah got in th habit uv it, an when one uv 'em got shot 'r shot somebody, nothin wuz said fam'ly roun, so they all say it mus' be 'cept between th 'mediate frien's an relatives. But they wuz allus nice folks."

"Some of them in jail, I reckon, Uncle Reuben?"

"No, suh, no, suh, not as I knows. Some uv 'em in Texas an some in New Yawk, but none in jail. Jail is built fo' niggahs an po' whites."

"Some of the family in New York, you say?"

"One uv 'em. He do me th honah uv dinin wiv me onet in while. Thah ain' many uv 'em left anywhar now."

"One of the old families passing away, eh?"

"Yes, suh; passin way. Thah nevah wuz a great numbah uv th Bonwells, an th habits uv which I spoke sho ain' fittin fo' long livin. They commence tuh thin out 'bout th time th Benedicts moved intuh Obion. Them Benedicts wuz th bes' people, but they wuz pow'ful many. They had th same habit as th Bonwells, an, bein mo' uv 'em, they had it mo'."

"Twan't long aftah th Benedicts moved in th th Bonwells found it out. Th two fam'lies had some diffrence 'bout a hog mark, an both sides got hasty. Th' wuz th beginnin, an it went on an on until thah wuz many uv th Bonwells left in wes' Ten'see. I thought yuh might have met some uv 'em in Ca'lina."

"Uv co'se in th affaiahs I'm tellin yuh 'bout lots uv Benedicts stopped talkin, but thah mus' have been a big spring uv 'em up in th middle counties whah they come fum, 'kase evah time a Benedict had a fun'ral, two mo' new Benedicts come thuh th services. Th' th' mighty disheartenin fuh a fam'ly like th Bonwells, who is pow'ful nice folks wiv a fault 'r two. Th Benedicts kep' gittin mo' an mo' plenty, till by an by they got tuh 'lectin sheriffs an judges an othahs. Then th Bonwells sho wuz disencouraged."

"Scuse me, suh, I reckon yuh bass mus' be 'bout sweetenin." Uncle Reuben hurried away to the kitchen and returned with the dish. He sipped the

away from the spices of the fish, arranged the condiments at my elbow with that show of kindness which he always took on when he had served a friend with a masterpiece, and I began the feast. The bass was excellent and the "madeery" good. Possessed with peace, I listened while the reminiscent old dinky talked of war.

"Is he des as yuh like 'im, suh?"

"All right, uncle. Go on with the Bonwells."

"'Bout th' las' one uv th Bonwells th' I knows uv wuz Mistah Har'y. He wuz a nice geman, like his maw an paw whut I knowed, an he wuz hasty. None uv th Bonwells evah saw th inside uv a cotehouse 'cept Mistah Har'y, an it mus' have been putty habd on him. Nigh as I kin onderstan 'bout th' fum m'frien's is th' Mistah Har'y got hasty at a barbecue whah th gov'n'uv uv th state wuz gwine tuh speak. Some uv them Benedicts mus' have said sumpin tuh him, an thah wuz some shootin. Some Benedicts wuz hurt mo' less, but whut wuz mighty unlucky fo' Mistah Har'y wuz th' a bullet hit th gov'n'uv in th ca'f uv th leg."

"Thah wuz a Benedict sheriff an othahs uv 'em roun, an somebody had tuh git 'rested 'bout th' bullet. Co'se it wuz Mistah Har'y. Thah wuz no tryin tuh fin' out whose bullet it wuz—might have been one uv them Benedicts yuh know—but Mistah Har'y didn't have many uv his frien's wiv him. 'Twan't long befo' evahbody in th county know Mistah Har'y shot th gov'n'uv. W'en a county is takin keer uv a big man like a gov'n'uv, 'tain't nice tuh have him shot. So Mistah Har'y had tuh go tuh cote an stan a trial des like a po' white man. Th gov'n'uv didn't have nothin tuh do wiv it. It wuz des them Benedicts."

"W'en th judge say Mistah Har'y mus' go tuh th penitentiary, I reckon Mistah Har'y mus' have made his 'rangements tuh go tuh hell fast, but des then th gov'n'uv he send down wud fum th capital beggin Mistah Har'y's padhon fo' gittin in th way uv his bullet, an th' settle it. Mistah Har'y didn't go tuh no penitentiary."

"What became of him, Uncle Reuben?"

"Them Benedicts is 'sponsible for Ten'see losin a mighty nice geman. He's th one whut's in New Yawk."

"I hopes th bass suit you, suh."—Charles E. Trevathan in New York Journal.

One Must Be the Superior.

In any living organization the supreme power never dies. The king never dies, and against the possibility of the president dying we have made an elaborate provision, which sufficiently speaks for the danger it seeks to avoid. But in the slow moving action of the huge organizations that we call nations and governments there is time enough for kings and presidents to sleep, to be off guard; whereas, in the rapid movements of ships and the frequent sudden vicissitudes of sea life the captain—the captain's power—cannot sleep. It is plain to say his person must. No more than the proverbial switch tender can he, as a habit, be on duty 20 hours out of the 24. Hence arises the necessity for the watch officer, who is in charge of the deck and vested while so with all the captain's power for the conduct of that which goes on on deck or pertains to the direction. He holds this control not because he is the captain or lieutenant by grade and title, but because of the office he is then filling. Is this considered an extravagant claim—unlimited?

And as it is on deck so it is in the engine room. The man in charge there, himself in his sphere, exercises a control as absolute as the captain and the officer of the watch—like them absolute, like them limited. But there are two on duty at the same time—the deck officer and the engine officer, the directive and the motive forces. The unity of result demands that they be not independent. One must be the superior, and it must be the one who has charge of the directive force, as that which is the more essential to the safety and government of the vessel; not because the one man is superior to the other man, but because the one power is more important than the other.—Captain A. T. Mahan, U. S. N., in North American Review.

DANGER IN SODA.

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Common soda is all right in its place and indispensable in the kitchen and for cooking and washing purposes, but it was never intended for medicine, and people who use it as such will some day regret it.

We refer to the common use of soda to relieve heartburn or sour stomach, a habit which thousands of people practice almost daily, and one which is fraught with danger; moreover the soda only gives temporary relief and in the end the stomach trouble gets worse.

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Dr. Har andson recommends as the safest and surest cure for sour stomach (acid dyspepsia) an excellent preparation sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

These tablets are large 20 grain lozenges, very pleasant to taste and contain the natural acids, pepsines, and digestive elements essential to good digestion, and when taken after meals they digest the food perfectly and promptly before it has time to ferment, sour and poison the blood and nervous system.

Dr. Wuerth states that he invariably uses Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets in all cases of stomach derangements and finds them a certain cure not only for sour stomach, but by promptly digesting the food they create a healthy appetite, increase flesh and strengthen the action of the heart and liver. They are not a cathartic, but intended only for stomach diseases and weakness and will be found reliable in any stomach trouble except cancer of the stomach.

All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at 50 cts. per package.

A little book describing all forms of stomach weakness and their cure mailed free by addressing the Stuart Co. of Marshall, Mich.

## A Barefaced Lie.

"What is your business, sir?" proceeded the "squire in the course of the examination.

"I am an actor!" proudly replied the member of a mammoth double "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Company, thrusting his good right hand into the bosom of his Prince Albert coat.

"Perjury! perjury!" shouted every man in the room who had witnessed the performance upon the previous night.

## Digestibility of Cheese.

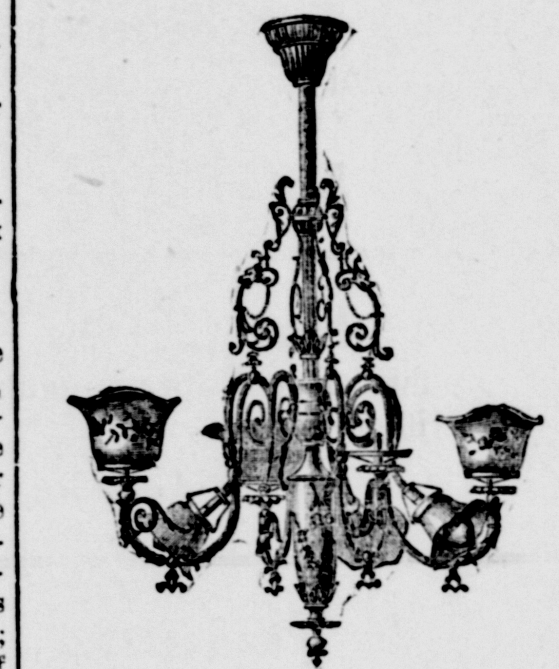
The digestibility of cheese has been carefully tested by a German chemist, who placed the samples in an artificial digestive fluid containing a considerable proportion of gastric juice. Cheshire and Roquefort cheese took four hours to digest, Gorgonzola eight hours, Romadour nine hours, and Brie, Swiss, and ten other varieties ten hours.

## A Cure for Lame Back.

"My daughter, when recovering from an attack of fever, was a great sufferer from pain in the back and hips," writes Louisa Grover, of Sardis, Ky. "After using quite a number of remedies without any benefit she tried one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and it has given entire relief." Chamberlain's Pain Balm is also a certain cure for rheumatism. Sold at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy, Main and Milwaukee streets.

The progressive ladies of Westfield, Ind. issued a "Woman's Edition" of the Westfield News, bearing date of April 3, 1896. The paper is filled with matter of interest to women, and we notice the following from a correspondent, which the editors printed, realizing that it treats upon a subject of vital importance to their sex: "The best remedy for croup, colds and bronchitis that I have been able to find is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For family use it has no equal. I gladly recommend it." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy, Main and Milwaukee streets.

Persons who are troubled with indigestion will be interested in the experience of Wm. H. Penn, chief clerk in the railway service at Des Moines, Iowa, who writes: "It gives me pleasure to testify to the merits of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For two years I have suffered from indigestion, and am subject to frequent severe attacks of pain in the stomach and bowels. One or two doses of this remedy never fail to give perfect relief. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy Main and Milwaukee streets."



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at WHEELER'S. Also Webach Burners, complete with shade, \$ .00 Webach Chimneys, 10c Mica Chimneys, that never break, for Webach Burners; also full line of barquet and other lamps, globes, silk shades, etc. All gas fixtures put up free.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS, STATE OF WISCONSIN, County Court for Rock County, In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the September term of the County Court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of Sept., A. D. 1897, being Sept. 7th, 1897, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted: All claims against Maria Otto, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 2d day of Sept., A. D. 1897, or be barred.—Dated Jan. 5, 1897.

J. W. SALE, County Judge.

## STATE OF WISCONSIN—CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—Patrick McGibey, Plaintiff, vs. Margaret Kelly, Timothy Kelly, Maria Kelly, his wife, Morris Kelly, Mary E. arkinson, Edna Ward, Emma Kelly, John Kelly, Kate Kelly, Grace Kelly, James Kelly, Mary Kelly, Jessie Kelly, Annie Kelly, John Joseph Kelly, Joseph Dalton, James Dalton, W. H. Caradine administrators, with the will annexed of the estate of John Kelly, deceased, and John Dalton, defendants.

The State of Wisconsin, to the said defendants and each of them: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure to do so, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

DUNWIDDIE & WHEELER, Plaintiff's attorneys.

P. O. Address: Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin.

## STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT for Rock County, In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday being the 5th day of Jan., 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of Emma Pettner, to admit to probate the last will and testament of Maria Otto, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.—Dated December 3d, 1896.

By the court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

## Every owner of an 1897 Rambler bicycle has a wide range of choice in gears after purchase. This is made possible by the new model of rear sprocket.

A. H. Sheldon & Co., Main and Milwaukee, Hardware.

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## Notice to Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Rock County National Bank of Janesville, Wis., will be held at office of said bank on Tuesday, January, 12 1897, from 10 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors, and the transaction of other business which may properly come before the meeting. A. P. HURNHAM, cashier. Dated, December 12, 1896.

The "dished sprocket" on the 1897 Rambler is worth examining. It brings the gear wheel nearer the point of strain and yet keeps ball races wide apart—a most desirable and vital feature.

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after eating a hearty meal, and the result is a chronic case of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, or a bilious attack.

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<b>Pants</b> All wool Boys' Pants, 25c pair; men's all wool \$1 Undershirts, 49c.	<b>Note Paper</b> One thousand packages Arctic Commercial Note Paper, regular 20c goods, <b>9c package.</b>	<b>Envelopes</b> Twenty-five thousand XX white wove Envelopes, regular 75c stuff, <b>53c per M.</b>	<b>Gloves and Mittens</b> One thousand pairs Gloves and Mittens, worth 60c, <b>38c.</b>
<b>Soap</b> One thousand boxes Kirk's Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in a box, worth 10c, <b>5c box.</b>	<b>Hose</b> Two thousand pair Rockford seamless heavy weight Sox, regular price 10c pair, 4 prs. 25c; 60 dozen men's all wool 20c Hose, 9c pr.	<b>Fur Capes</b> Two Fur Capes, regular price \$9, will go now at <b>\$4.</b>	<b>Lamps</b> Three hundred Hand Lamps complete, with chimney, regular price, 25c, <b>14c.</b>
<b>Dolls</b> Two hundred Kid Dolls, big bargains, <b>16c up.</b>	<b>Suspenders</b> Five hundred pairs Suspenders, regular price 20c, now 11c. Five hundred pairs 30c kind, at <b>18c pair.</b>	<b>Perfume</b> Three hundred bottles Perfume, very fine, assorted odors, <b>7c.</b>	<b>Tea Plates</b> One hundred Tea Plates, 3 1-2c each. One hundred 18-inch Plates, 29c each. One hundred 12-inch Vegetable Dishes, 16c.
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<b>Lawn Mowers</b> Fifty Lawn Mowers, warranted, worth \$4.50, at \$2.35. Three hundred steel Pancake Griddles, worth 35c, at 10c.	<b>Cuspidores</b> Two hundred japanned tin Cuspidores, worth 15c, now 5c. Two hundred Tin Horns, worth 10c each, at 3c.	<b>Pocket Knives</b> Seven hundred Pocket Knives, 4c up. Two hundred pairs boys' Skates, all clamp, steel, 20c pr. Five hundred tin Coffee Pots, 6c.	<b>Miscellaneous</b> Fifty dozen Emery Papers, 7c dozen. Ten thousand Bolts, assorted, 1c each. One thousand pairs Door Hinges, 3c pair.

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